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Sir:

This paper is in response to the Final Official Action mailed on November 10, , 2005. Payment for two months' extension of time is attached. Please charge our Deposit Account No. 18-0002 if any additional fees are needed to enter this paper, and please advise us accordingly. It is noted that no petition is required because of the authorization to charge, but this paper is a petition for extension of time.

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